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Inventors: Mark Albert Crowder

Serial No: 10/008,881

Filed: November 8, 2001

Title: 2N MASK DESIGN AND METHOD

OF SEQUENTIAL LATERAL

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PATENT APPLICATION

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## RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This communication responds to an Office Action dated September 30, 2003 in the above identified patent application. Please make amendments, if any, in the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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X No additional fee is required for amendment.  Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-1457 in the amount of \$0.00.  A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  A check in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed.  X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No 19-1457.  A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  X Any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.  X Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.  Dated: December 29, 2003  Matthew D. Rabdau, Reg. No. 43,026  I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office under 37 C.F.R. §1.8 at Fax No. (703) 872-9306 on December 29, 2003.  Matthew D. Rabdau, Reg. No. 43,026								
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